



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:)
Robert Castellano)
Serial No.: 09/691,756) Group Art Unit: 2665
Filed: October 18, 2000) Examiner: HSU, Alpus
For: System and Method for Polling Devices) Docket No.: 061607-1550
in a Network System)

AMENDMENT AFTER NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.312, please enter the following amendments. Applicant respectfully submits that the amendments herein merely embody the correction of formal matters and do not alter the scope or substance of the application.

AUTHORIZATION TO DEBIT ACCOUNT

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required, beyond those which may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, in the event that additional extensions of time are necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such extensions are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account 16-0255.